

Hongkong Telegraph

No. 3636

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1893.

SIX DOLLARS
PER QUARTER

BANKERS.
THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.
Authorized Capital.....\$1,000,000
Subscribed Capital.....\$100,000
HEAD OFFICE: HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:—
D. Gillies, Esq., Chairman,
Chan Kit Shan, Esq.,
H. Stollert, Esq.,
Chow Tung Shing, Esq.,
Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq.,
Chief Manager,
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.
Branches:—London, Yokohama, Shanghai and Amoy.

BANKERS:—
The Commercial Bank of Scotland,
Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.)
Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per cent.
Hongkong, 16th November, 1893. [18]

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....\$2,000,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP.....\$250,000

BANKERS:—
CAPITAL & COUNTRIES BANK, LIMITED.
HEAD OFFICE:—
No. 3, PRINCE STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:—
BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI.

AGENCIES:—
PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST.
ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS
AND Fixed Deposits can be ascertained
on application.
Every description of Banking and Exchange
business transacted.

CHANTREY INCHBALD,
Manager.
Hongkong, 6th November, 1893. [187]

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL.....\$1,000,000
SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,185,000

BANKERS:—
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT
ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent.
per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—
For 12 Months.....5 per cent.
" 6 ".....4 " "
" 3 ".....3 " "
JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.
Hongkong, 4th February, 1893. [192]

Insurances.
THE
STANDARD.
ENDOWMENT
ASSURANCE.

1. AMONG THE MANY ADVANTAGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:—

(a)—It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other relatives in event of early death.
(b)—It provides a Fund for Retirement.
(c)—It supplies an excellent investment for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money.
(d)—The Surrender and Loan values are larger than under ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCE—should the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments—he will be entitled to receive, on application, a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a proportionate amount of the Sum Assured, as explained in the Prospectus.

Full particulars on application,
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents,
STANDARD LIFE OFFICE,
Hongkong, 8th August, 1893. [1747]

NOTICE.
THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000
The above Company is prepared to accept Marine Risks at CURRENT RATES OF GOVERNMENT. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

HEAD OFFICE.
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST,
Hongkong, 24th November, 1893. [123]

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000.....\$333,333.33
EQUAL TO.....\$318,000.00
RESERVE FUND.....\$318,000.00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
LEE SING, Esq.,
LO YUEN MOON, Esq.,
LO YUEN SHUN, Esq.,
MANAGER—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken
at CURRENT RATES on all parts of the
World.

HEAD OFFICE, 8, 9, & 10, PRINCE STREET,
Hongkong, 17th December, 1893. [1974]

Intimations.
CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION,
No. 53.

NOTICE is hereby given that MONDAY next, the 1st January, 1894, will be observed as HOLIDAY at the Kowloon Customs Office.

Work at the Optium Examination Hall and Customs Stations will proceed as usual.

H. F. HOBSON,
Commissioner of Customs
for Kowloon & District.
Custom House,
Kowloon, 27th December, 1893. [1384]

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 1, Duddell Street, at NOON, on SATURDAY, the 6th day of January, 1894, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, passing the Resolutions following, namely:—

1.—That the Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to Sell and Transfer the whole of this Company's business and property to a new Company, to be incorporated with limited liability under the Companies Ordinance 1867 to 1893, and to be named the NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, with a Capital of \$150,000, divided into 50,000 Shares of \$3 each, with the usual power to increase and reduce the same.

2.—That the Draft Contract for Sale submitted to this Meeting, and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, of the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to Section 149 of the Companies Ordinance, 1867, to enter into a Contract for the Sale and Transfer of this Company's business and property to the said New Company (which is incorporated) for the consideration and upon the terms set forth in the said Draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as he may think expedient.

Should the above Resolutions be passed by the requisite majority, they will be submitted for Confirmation as Special Resolutions in a Second Extraordinary General Meeting, which will be subsequently convened.

CARL GEORG,
Liquidator.
Hongkong, 22nd December, 1893. [1394]

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.
TENDERS will be received at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, until NOON on SATURDAY, the 30th instant, for the RENTING for a term of Years of all the ADVERTISING SPACE at the Company's Stations (except that reserved for the Company's own use) subject to the said Space being used for Advertisements only which are in good taste and have received the approval of the General Managers. No Advertisements will be allowed along the line of rail.

The Company does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

The previous notice is hereby withdrawn.
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 20th December, 1893. [1372]

THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.
THE BUFFET and the LADIES WAITING ROOMS adjoining will be OPEN to the PUBLIC in a few days.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 13th December, 1893. [1360]

STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.

THE Property of this COMPANY, consisting of the STEAM LAUNCHES:—
"PERSEVERANCE,"
"PRUDENCE,"
"PROSPERITY,"
"PUNCTUALITY,"
"BONNIE."

Is for SALE, and TENDERS are invited for the whole as a going concern, or for any part thereof.

PARTICULARS and SPECIFICATIONS will be supplied upon application.

ALL TENDERS, which have been forwarded to the UNDERSIGNED, will be opened on WEDNESDAY, January 3rd, 1894.

THE LIQUIDATOR does not bind himself to accept the HIGHEST or ANY TENDER.

J. W. NOBLE,
Liquidator.
No. 2, Pedder's Street,
Hongkong, 22nd December, 1893. [1393]

AN APPEAL.

THE SUPERIORESS of the ITALIAN CONVENT, CAPE ROAD, begs most respectfully to APPEAL to the Residents of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, for their kind patronage and support, and desires to state that she will be pleased to receive orders for all kinds of NEEDLE WORK.

Gentlemen's Shirts, made to order, and Cuffs and Collars renewed on old ones.

Ladies' and Children's Underclothing, Children's Dresses, and all kinds of Embroidery, Mantles can be supplied, if required.

17th Superiores will also be most grateful for any YAKES, or old Travelers to be made into Baskets for the Children of the Poor, Schools, who are taught by the Sisters.

NGAI SHANG,
21, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.
RATTAN FURNITURE
of Every Description,
CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLES, BASKETS,
CHILDREN'S COTS, &c., &c.
Latest Patterns, Best Workmanship.
Also
Mattan Cases, Split-Rattan, Cane, Reed and
Bamboo, of all kinds.
Hongkong, 4th November, 1893. [1391]

Intimations.
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.
NEW TOBACCOS.

SMITH'S Bright Cut Navy,
do. Flaked Gold Leaf,
do. Glasgow Mixture,
do. Calumet Mixture.

WILLS' "Captain" Navy Cut,
do. Bird's Eye,
do. Westward Ho! Mixture,
do. Golden Flake,
do. "Traveller," Golden Flake.

LA PERLA DEL ORIENTE
CIGARS.
PIPES and TOBACCONISTS' SUNDRIES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.
Hongkong, 2nd December, 1893. [1317]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

NOW READY.....PRICE, ONE DOLLAR.
FOOLSCAP SIZE, THREE DAYS TO A PAGE, INTER-LEAVED WITH
BLOTTING PAPER

THE IMPERIAL
ENGLISH AND CHINESE DIARY
FOR
1894.

with the Dates in ENGLISH and CHINESE, and Special localised information.

THE IMPERIAL
ENGLISH AND CHINESE DATE-BLOCK,
Printed in RED and BLACK, with space for Memoranda.

PRICE.....75 CENTS.
KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,
PUBLISHERS.
Hongkong, 28th November, 1893. [17]

W. POWELL & CO.,

TREMENDOUS SHOW OF
CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES.

EVERYTHING SUITABLE FOR A PRESENT TO A LADY.
EVERYTHING SUITABLE FOR A PRESENT TO A GENTLEMAN.
EVERYTHING SUITABLE FOR A PRESENT TO A CHILD.

TOYS! TOYS!! TOYS!!!
IMMENSE VARIETY.
ALL NEW GOODS.

W. POWELL & CO.
Hongkong, 9th December, 1893. [16]

THE
HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin"—A. B. C. Code.—TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS.....THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping Offices.

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers. The TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuisine being under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators.

The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

THE WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.
R. TUCKER,
Manager.
Hongkong, 17th November, 1893. [178]

DAWSON'S PERFECTION
OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Far East.
6th Queen's Road Central,
Hongkong, 11th December, 1893. [1346]

CARMICHAEL & Co., LD.

ARE now showing a very fine Selection of CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR CARDS, CADBURY'S CHOCOLATE CREMES, CALLARD and BOWSER'S BUTTER, SCOTCH, EVERTON TOFFEE, RUSSIAN TOFFEE and ALMOND ROCK, TOM SMITH'S CRACKERS, ALBUMS, suitable for Christmas presents, and very large Selection of PHOTO FRAMES.

CANADIAN PRODUCE.
McLAREN'S GLASS JAR CURE,
SALTED SALMON,
SALMON BELLIES,
SALMON STEAKS (lib. tins).....\$5.00 per tin.
Hongkong, 13th November, 1893. [13]

W. BREWER.

HAS JUST OPENED.
A FINE Collection of New Fancy Goods in PLUSH, HAND-PAINTED SILK, RUSSIAN and other fine Leather Goods.

Handsome Boxed American Christmas Cards. Autograph Christmas Cards very pretty & cheap.

TOM SMITH'S CRACKERS.
Great variety of Children's Books for Christmas. All the Annual Volumes for Boys and Girls.
Handsomely bound Books for presents. New Framed Pictures.

STYLOGRAPHIC PENS.
DANCING PUMPS, LADIES SHOES. TENNIS RATS, SHOES, BALLS.
New French Novels. Christmas Nov. of Graphic Illustrated.
"PEARLS," "BLACK and WHITE," "QUEEN."

W. BREWER.
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL,
QUEEN'S ROAD.
Hongkong, 16th December, 1893. [199]

Intimations.
MUNICIPALITE FRANCAISE
DE CANTON.

ELECTION DE DEUX CONSEILLERS
MUNICIPAUX.

DES élections pour la NOMINATION d'un CONSEILLER FRANCAIS et d'un CONSEILLER ETANGER devant constituer le Conseil Municipal de la Concession Française de Canton, auront lieu le dimanche, 7 Janvier 1894, au Consulat de France.

Le scrutin sera ouvert de 10 heures du matin à 4 heures du soir.

La liste électorale, déposée à la Chancellerie du Consulat de France, sera mise à la disposition des électeurs à partir du 20 Décembre, et close le 31 du même mois à 4 heures du soir.

Les demandes en inscription ou en radiation devront être adressées, avant cette dernière date, au Consulat de France.

Conformément au paragraphe 5 de l'article V du Règlement d'Organisation Municipale de la Concession Française, les électeurs devront déposer leurs votes personnellement. Aucune exception à cette disposition ne sera admise, sauf pour les propriétaires absents de Canton dont les suffrages pourront être exprimés par leurs représentants dûment autorisés.

Le Consul de France,
[1387] **C. IMBAULT HUART.**

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the

KONINKLIJKE PAKETVAART
MAATSCHAPPIJ

are prepared to grant through Bills of Lading to Ports of Java, Sumatra (East and West Coast) Celebes, Timor, Sunda Islands, Dutch New Guinea, &c., &c. Bills of Lading for through Cargo from these Ports to be presented to the Undersigned for countersignature.

LAUTS, WEGENER & Co.
Hongkong, 25th November, 1893. [1289]

THE PHARMACY,
45, QUEEN'S ROAD.

MESSRS. FLETCHER & Co. beg to inform the Residents of Hongkong and the Shipping Community, that they have now OPENED at the above address. The Store is managed by a thoroughly competent Chemist who takes every care that all DRUGS and CHEMICALS used in the compounding of prescriptions are PURE and FRESH.

FLETCHER & Co. have on hand a good selection of Druggists' Sundries and Patent Medicines.

Telephone No. 74. **FLETCHER & Co.**
Hongkong, 23rd September, 1893. [1044]

EAST POINT DAIRY AND FARMING COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM the 16th instant and until further notice the PRICES for the COMPANY'S PRODUCE will be as follows:—

FRESH MILK..... 1 Imperial Pint Bottle, 6 Cents.
FRESH MILK..... Ordinary Pint Bottle, 8 Cents.

FRESH BUTTER..... Per Pat, 25 Cents.

SPECIAL TERMS for yearly or half-yearly contracts.

A. RUMJAHN,
Secretary & Manager.
57, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, 12th December, 1893. [1357]

NOW IN THE
PRESS!

TO BE PUBLISHED IN JUNE, 1894.

"THE DESTINY OF MAN,"
BY
CHESNEY DUNCAN,

(Author of "Corea and the Powers," "All is not Gold that Glitters," &c.)

Being an analysis of all religious tenets, with deductions drawn from facts and observations and containing chapters on "And the World was" and "Man's Destiny."

N.B.—This work will be produced simultaneously in England and the Far East, but as the Eastern edition will necessarily be much smaller than that published in England, orders for the same may be booked with the Author, c/o "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH," 7, Pedder's Hill, Hongkong.

PRICE \$2.50 PER COPY.
Hongkong, 21st November, 1893. [1271]

DR. KNORR'S
LION BRAND
ANTI-PYRENE.

(DOSE FOR ADULTS 15 TO 35 GRAINS TROY.)

Is the most approved and most efficacious remedy in cases of HEADACHE, MIGRAINE, NEURALGIA, RHEUMATISM, FEVER, TYPHUS, INFLUENZA, DENGUE, ERYSIPELAS, HOOPING COUGH, and many other complaints. It is also the very best Antiseptic. Highly recommended by the Medical Faculty. Ask for DR. KNORR'S ANTI-PYRENE. Each tin bears the inventor's signature "Dr. KNORR" in red letters.

"DERMATOL" is the best Vulnerary; its effect in stimulating the closing up of Wounds, is described as amazing.

It is to be had at every reputed Chemist and Druggist.

Supplies constantly on hand at the China Export, Import, and Bank Co.—Sole Agents for China.

Beware of spurious imitations.
Hongkong, 22nd April, 1893. [1406]

CAPTAIN CH. ROBINSON,
COAL-CONTRACTOR.
COMPRADORE and STEVEDORE.

SHIPS VISITING MANILA SUPPLIED
WITH PROVISIONS, DUNNAGE, &c.
WATER and BALLAST BOATS.
Monthly 15th Month, 1893. [193]

Amusements.
THE
HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.

WILL GIVE PERFORMANCES OF THE
COMIC OPERA

"PRINCESS TOTO,"
BY
GILBERT AND CLAY.

On the following dates:—
December 28th and 30th, 1893,
and
January 3rd, 6th, 9th and 13th, 1894.

Curtain to rise at 9 P.M. precisely each night.

Prices, \$3, \$2, \$1.

Seats for any or all Performances can be booked at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co's on and after TUESDAY, the 19th December, from 10 A.M.

Books of the Words of the Songs, price 15 cents, at the Booking Office.
A late Tram will run a quarter of an hour after the fall of the Curtains, each night.
Hongkong, 27th December, 1893. [1361]

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.
FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

THE Steamship
"GLAMORGANSHIRE,"
Captain Jackson, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about THURSDAY, the 28th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 7th December, 1893. [1251]

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship
"CATHERINE APCAR,"
Captain J. G. Offert, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 29th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 23rd December, 1893. [1397]

"WARRACK" LINE OF STEAMERS.
FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship
"LENNOX,"
Captain Ward, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about 4th proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 20th December, 1893. [1232]

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE 100 A. L. British Ship

"MACMILLAN,"
Guthrie, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
SHEWAN & Co.
Hongkong, 1st December, 1893. [1308]

FOR NEW YORK.
THE 100 A. L. British Ship

"BANGALORE,"
Condon, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
SHEWAN & Co.
Hongkong, 8th December, 1893. [1340]

FOR NEW YORK.
THE 3/3 L. L. American Ship

"KENILWORTH,"
Baker, Master, now at Shanghai, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
SHEWAN & Co.
Hongkong, 5th December, 1893. [1324]

Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship
"CATHERINE APCAR,"
having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after WEDNESDAY, the 27th inst. at NOON, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into the Godowns of the Whanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited, Whanchai.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 23rd December, 1893. [1390]

Masonic.

EOTHEN MARK LODGE, No. 264, E.C.

A REGULAR MEETING of the EOTHEN MARK LODGE will

Announcements.

DAKIN, CRICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

CONFECTIONERY, &c.

WE have just received our New Stock of CONFECTIONERY and are offering the same at prices suitable for the present bad times.

CHOCOLATE CREMES.

PATES D'APRICOT.

CHOCOLATE ALMONDS.

FANCY BOXES OF SWEETS of various kinds from 2 Dollars to 25 Cents.

SUGARED ALMONDS.

BURNED ALMONDS.

MIXED SWEETS.

TOM SMITH'S CRACKERS.

CIGARETTE CASES, CIGAR CASES, CARD CASES.

In SILVER, ELECTRO, SNAKE SKIN, RUSSIAN LEATHER, &c.

CIGAR & CIGARETTE HOLDERS, PIPES.

Hongkong, 13th November, 1893. [1594]

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

WE INVITE ATTENTION TO OUR STOCKS

OF

CONFECTIONERY AND CHRISTMAS GOODS.

JORDAN ALMONDS, NOUGAT, BUTTER.

SCOTCH, ASSORTED TOFFEES,

DRAGEES, PRALINES,

and a large selection

of

PURE CONFECTIONERY from the leading Manufacturers.

CADBURY'S SPECIAL

CHOCOLATE CREMES.

PINE, APRICOT, CHERRY, LIME, GUAVA, and other

FRUIT JELLIES

in great variety.

TOM SMITH'S

CHRISTMAS CRACKERS.

COLOURED OPALS

MOUNTED IN PLUSH,

representing favourite subjects.

A Large Assortment of

ENGLISH AND JAPANESE CHRISTMAS CARDS,

of handsome and artistic designs, suitable to all tastes and at moderate prices.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED,

The Hongkong Dispensary,

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

Hongkong, 3rd November, 1893. [15]

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

FROM AND AFTER THE 1ST OF JANUARY, 1894, THE SUBSCRIPTION TO "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" WILL BE THIRTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM, OR TWO DOLLARS AND A HALF PER MONTH.

ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

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Letters of Editorial character to be sent to "The Editor" and not to individual members of the staff.

Communications intended for publication must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer, and not necessarily for publication, but as evidence of good faith.

While the columns of the Hongkong Telegraph will always be open for the free discussion by correspondents of all questions affecting public interests, it is distinctly understood that the Editor does not in any way hold himself responsible for opinions thus expressed.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisements are requested to forward all notices intended for insertion in this paper by 10 o'clock on the day before the day of publication, and to be sent to the Editor by 10 o'clock on the day before the day of publication.

Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued until terminated.

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BIRTH.

At Windy Arbor, Carter Road, Shanghai, on the 22nd inst., the wife of R. S. FURLONG of a son.

MARRIAGES.

On the 20th December, 1893, at H.B.M. Consulate-General, and afterwards at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Right Rev. Bishop Moule, D.D., CHARLES ARTHUR, eldest son of the late Charles PULLAN, to LOUISE CHARLOTTE MARION, only daughter of Henry KOPSCH, Commissioner, Chinese Imperial Customs.

On the 20th December, 1893, at the Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Right Rev. Bishop Moule, D.D., the Rev. J. W. HEYWOOD, Wenchow, to EDITH ANNIE, eldest daughter of Jas. TURNER, Esq., Preston, Lancashire.

THE returns of the number of visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ended Dec. 24th are:—Europeans, 175; Chinese, 1,998; total 2,173.

A REGULAR meeting of Zeland Lodge, No. 545, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zeland Street, this evening, at 8 for 8.30 o'clock precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

WE are in a position to state authoritatively that there is no truth in the rumour published in the *South* of the 2nd inst. to the effect that "Brownie" has been lost in the Bay of Biscay.

THE "Shan" line steamer *Slam*, recently arrested at Singapore owing to \$2,000 worth of opium being found in one of the Chinese quarter-master's cabins, arrived here on Christmas Day from Bangkok.

THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s royal mail steamer *Empress of China* arrived at Yokohama at 8.30 a.m. on the 25th inst. and left again at 10 a.m. on the 26th for this port, via Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai.

REPORTS from Chinkiang state that the so-called secret mission of the Viceroy's military secretary T'ai Chien, to Chinkiang in connection with the anticipated missionary riots at Yiling to which reference has been previously made.

ACCORDING to a private letter received in Shanghai from Corea the Heir-apparent of that Kingdom was married on the 6th inst. to the daughter of one of the Court Ministers by the name of Chia or Kia Sud-chin. The bride is thirteen years of age.

In the middle of the "festive season" some of the Tramway Company's servants got so festive that some of them had to be taken to the hospital, and some put in goal, and the only sober man has had no Christmas—he is on duty all the time. Moral—don't be sober!

THE certificate of the Japanese commander of the *Yoshinagawa Maru* has been suspended for five months by a Marine Court of Inquiry held at Tokyo, which found him solely to blame for the collision between his vessel and the *Delphishire*, in Kobe harbour, in October last.

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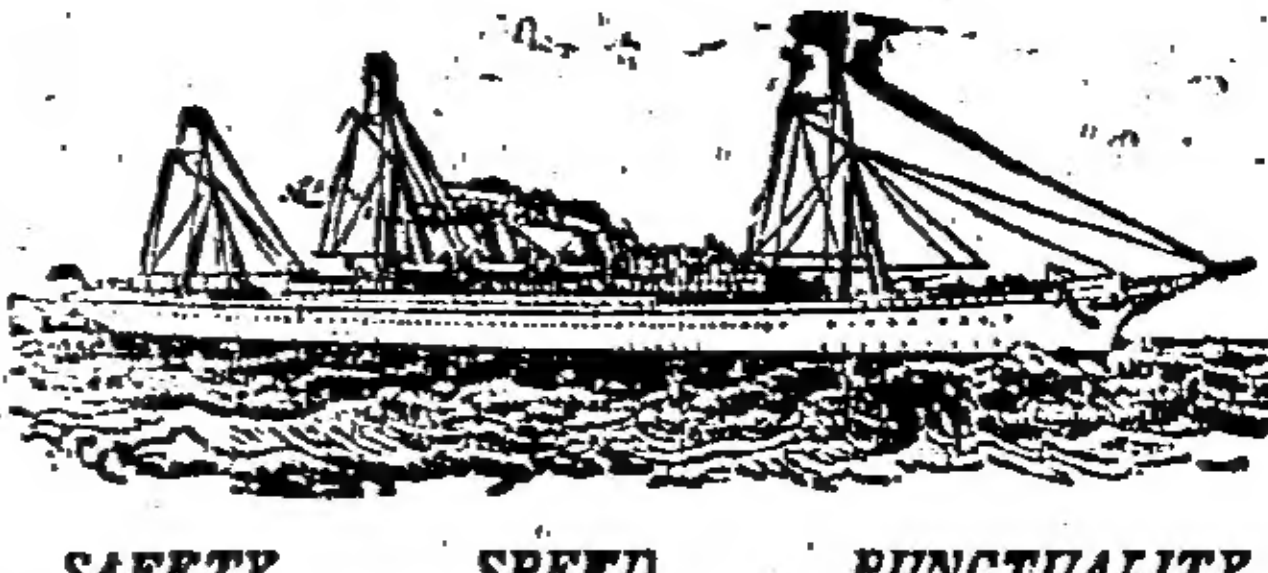
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